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Small Gain by State in The Decade

Nearly 7 Per Cent Advance Since 1900 Is Shown by Official Figures

MAY LOSE CONGRESSMAN

Chance That Representation in Lower House Will be Cut to Ten

A VERY CLOSE QUESTION

Washington Special to the Evening Post.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Population statistics of the thirteenth census were issued today for the following states: Kentucky, 2,289,905; Mississippi, 1,797,114; North Carolina, 2,206,287.

Kentucky shows an increase of 142,731 or 6.6 per cent over 2,147,174 in 1900. The increase from 1890 to 1900 was 288,539 or 15.5 per cent.

The population of the counties in Kentucky containing the principal cities is:

Campbell, 53,629; Kenton, 70,355; Fayette, 47,475; Mcracken, 35,064; Jefferson, 262,920.

The population of the other counties in Kentucky follows:

Adair, 16,503; Allen, 14,882; Anderson, 10,146; Ballard, 12,690; Barren, 25,293; Bath, 13,988; Bell, 28,447; Boone, 9,520; Bourbon, 17,462; Boyd, 23,444; Boyle, 14,608; Bracken, 10,208; Breathitt, 17,540; Breckinridge, 21,054; Bullitt, 9,487; Butler, 15,805; Caldwell, 12,063; Calloway, 19,867; Carlisle, 9,048; Carroll, 8,110; Carter, 21,956; Casey, 15,479; Christian, 38,845; Clark, 17,987; Clay, 17,789; Clinton, 8,153; Crittendon, 13,296; Cumberland, 9,846; Daviess, 4,020; Edmonson, 10,409; Elliott, 9,814; Estill, 12,275; Fleming, 16,66; Floyd, 18,623; Franklin, 21,135; Fulton, 14,114; Gallatin, 4,097; Garrard, 11,894; Grant, 10,581; Graves, 33,539; Grayson, 19,958; Green, 11,871; Greenup, 18,475; Hancock, 8,512; Harlan, 22,696; Harlan, 10,556; Harrison, 16,873; Hart, 18,173; Henderson, 29,333; Henry, 13,716; Hickman, 11,750; Hopkins, 14,291; Jackson, 10,734; Jessamine, 12,613; Johnson, 17,482; Knott, 10,491; Knox, 22,116; La Rue, 10,701; Laurel, 19,872; Lawrence, 20,067; Lee, 7,531; Leslie, 8,976; Letcher, 10,623; Lewis, 16,887; Lincoln, 17,897; Livingston, 10,627; Logan, 24,977; Lyon, 9,423; McLean, 13,241; Madison, 26,951; Magoffin, 13,654; Marion, 16,330; Marshall, 16,771; Martin, 7,291; Mason, 18,611; Meade, 9,683; Menifee, 6,152; Mercer, 14,063; Metcalfe, 10,453; Monroe, 13,663; Montgomery, 12,868; Morgan, 16,259; Muhlenberg, 28,598; Nelson, 16,830; Nicholas, 10,601; Ohio, 27,642; Oldham, 7,248; Owen, 14,248; Owsley, 7,979; Pendleton, 11,985; Perry, 11,255; Pike, 31,679; Powell, 6,268; Pulaski, 35,086; Robertson, 4,121; Rockcastle, 14,473; Rowan, 9,439; Russell, 10,861; Scott, 16,956; Shelby, 18,041; Simpson, 11,400; Spencer, 7,567; Taylor, 11,961; Todd, 16,488; Trigg, 14,539; Trimble, 6,512; Union, 19,886; Warren, 30,579; Washington, 13,940; Wayne, 17,518; Webster, 20,974; Whitley, 31,982; Wolfe, 9,864; Woodford, 12,571.

Kentucky may have lost one Congressman, in the opinion of E. Dana Durand, Director of the Census. The population of the State of Kentucky was announced at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and the small percentage of gain puts the Bluegrass State in a position to receive a setback when the new apportionment is made.

Director Durand made a calculation,

and upon his estimate the total membership of the House of Representatives will have to be increased by sixty-two members to enable Kentucky to hold her eleven members.

This would increase the membership from 391 to 453. Such a body would be unwieldy and cumbersome and it is not at all likely Congress will provide for so large a membership.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN

Pineville Physician Hit While Crossing a Bridge and is Badly Hurt

Pineville, Ky., Dec. 6.—Dr. W. J. Hodges, returning from a call in the country last night, attempted to walk across the railroad bridge at Wasinton and was run down by No. 24 north-bound passenger. He was hurled seventy-five feet. The engineer stopped the train and picked up the injured physician and brought him to Pineville. Upon examination it was found he had one leg broken in two places and was seriously injured in the back and head.

FARMERS' WEEK

To be Held at Agricultural College of State University

Beginning the 3rd and Lasting Through the 6th of January

During the first week in January, beginning the 3rd and lasting through the 6th, the Agricultural College of the State University at Lexington has arranged to observe "Farmers' week." This will be the best opportunity ever offered for farmers and stockmen to avail themselves of the benefits of the Agricultural College. The Swine, Beef Cattle, Horse, Dairy Cattle, and Sheep Breeders' Association of the State will hold their annual conventions there on successive days, each devoting a half day to specialties, business, etc., and the other half to judging work. The State Corn Growers' Association, the State Corn Show and Corn School will also be held at the College during the week. Liberal premiums are offered in the various classes in the corn show and equally liberal premiums for farm litter, creamery butter, farm milk and for certified milk. The unexcelled stock of the College Farm and of the magnificent Elmdorf Farm will be freely used for the judging work, etc.

Rates of one fare plus twenty-five cents for the round trip have been secured over all roads. The best authorities in the country on the various classes of stock, etc., have been secured for the week. All is absolutely free.

A pleasant or more profitable week for the farmers of Kentucky could not possibly be arranged. Particulars, premium lists, etc., may be obtained by dropping a card to M. A. Scovell, director, Lexington, Kentucky.

NOTICE

J. R. Foley & Co., Plm's, vs. Lewis Fole & Co., Defts.

The creditors of Luke W. Foley, deceased, are hereby notified that they are required to appear before me on December 8, 1910, at the law office of J. M. Robison, in Barbourville, Kentucky, and prove and have filed their claims against said estate.

J. R. Jones, Commissioner Knox Circuit Court.
J. M. Robison, Attorney or administrator.

FIRE

Destroyed the Home of C. C. Gilliam, in the Country, Friday Morning

\$500 in Currency and Entire Household Effects Lost

Last Friday morning about 2:30 o'clock Mr. C. C. Gilliam, one of Knox county's most highly respected citizens and best farmers, was awakened to find that his home was burning down over his head.

There was no one about the place at the time except himself and wife and they were awakened just in time to escape in their night clothing.

In attempting to save some household effects Mrs. Gilliam dropped a book containing \$500 in money inside the house and it was consumed together with the household effects.

The loss is quite a severe one and coming as it does at this time in life to these old people, 68

and 65 years of age, is a severe trial.

The home was a magnificent two-story log house, weather boarded and painted outside and celled inside, making a very substantial home, valued at perhaps \$2,000 to say nothing of the loss of money and goods.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Grant Hommons, Plaintiff, vs. M. J. Jackson, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution placed in my hands by the Knox Circuit Court, I will on December 26, 1910, that being County court day between the hour of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. sell at public outcry to the highest bidder on a credit of three months the following described tract of land, lying on the Road Fork of Stinking Creek and bounded on the north by the lands of Houston Broughton, east by the lands of John Jackson, south by the lands of Buck Broughton, west by the lands of Obie Mills and known as the Thomas Scalf farm and containing about 4 1/2 acres. Said execution is to raise the sum of \$500, together with interest at 6 per cent from the 7th day of June, 1910, and the cost in this action.

Purchaser will be required to execute good and sufficient bond with approved security for the purchase money, and a lien will also be retained upon said land until purchase money is paid in full.

Given under my hand as Sheriff of Knox county, this 7th day of December, 1910.

S. H. Jones, S. K. C.

CALEB POWERS.

Caleb Powers was elected to Congress by a large majority, and now a crowd of political opponents are trying to get Congress to refuse to admit him, on the idea that he was gagged in the conspiracy to murder Goebel in Kentucky, years ago. The people of his district ought to know who they want in Congress better than the House itself does.

Powers never was proven guilty. He cannot be. He has been a victim of political persecution from the start. The facts about the homicide at the time do not implicate him. If the shot was fired from the direction of his office, anybody would be more likely to fire it or sanction the shot than he. What Powers was charged with was imbecile business, and he is no imbecile. He is a frank, brave, honorable man, and he has the right to be chosen by his people.—Ohio State Journal.

On the 21st of December the sun will cross the Tropic of Capricorn, which will give the trusts the ball on our five-yard line, one down to go. They will go over on the next play, and Mr. Rockefeller, who is playing greenback for the trusts this year, will kick goal. The feature of Christmas will be that Mr. Roosevelt won't have any. He isn't taking any chances of Santa Claus even handing him anything else this year.

Our Mr. Morgan will revert To hanging up his spacious shirt, And tying up tail to pot Whatever Santa Claus has got. O woe to us! How tough it is To hang our stockings under his! But faith is hope, and hope is trust, And some fine day the tail will bust.

A Cincinnati jewelry firm will have a large line of jewelry on sale at Costello's Drugstore, from Dec. 20th to 24th.

Have you paid your subscription? If not please call and settle.

GREAT SLAUGHTER OF PRICES

For Strictly Cash Sales During Remainder of Year.
Here are Prices we are now making to the Trade. Can you beat them?

Dry Goods, Notions and Furnishings

Calicoes at . . . 5c per yd
Gingham, apron check 5c per yd
Gingham, (dress) worth 12c, now at . . . 8c
Dress gingham, worth 25c, now at . . . 20c
Percales, worth 10c, now at 7c
Drapes, worth 12c, at 8c
Crape, worth 20c, now at 15c
Flannelettes, worth 10c, at 8c
Sateens, worth 10c, at 8c
Sateens, worth 15c, at 11c
Sateens, worth 20c, at 15c
Sateens, worth 25c, at 20c
Outings, worth 7c, at 5c
Outings, worth 10c, at 8c
Hickory shirting, worth 12c, now at . . . 9c
Cotton plaids, regular 7c at 5c
Cotton plaids, regular 10c at 8c
A lot of dress linings, assorted colors, worth . . . 12c at 8c
10c Cotton flannel, at . . . 8c
50c woolen goods, Mohairs, at 30c
6c Serge, . . . at 48c
\$1 Serge . . . at 65c

SWEATERS

Children's 35c sweaters at 28c
Ladies' \$1.25 sweaters at 88c
Men's \$1.25 sweaters at 88c to 98c
Ladies' woolen Undershirt pasterns, 75c to \$1.50 grade, . . . at 48c to \$1.25
Lace and Swiss curtains 48c a up
Pearl buttons 1c per card and up
Spool cotton 1c per spool and up
Table linen, small piece assorted 48c goods . . . at 24c
Table linen, regular 75c goods . . . at 48c
Poplins, regular 25c goods at 19c
One lot of silks, regular 50c to \$1.50 goods, now at . . . 48c to \$1.25
Mauers, regular 35c goods now at . . . 28c
Sankil, 6 spoons for . . . 20c
Woolen braids, regular 15c goods, now at . . . 10c
Woolen braids, regular 5c 10c goods, now at . . . 4c to 7c

Safety pins . . . 2c and up
Hocks and eyes at . . . 4c
Pins, per paper . . . 1c and up
Men's canvas gloves, 3 pr for . . . 25c
Boys' and Men's undressed kid gloves, regular 75c grade, at . . . 48c
Boys' Youths and Men's suspenders, at . . . 3c and up
Dash cloth, at . . . 5c and up
Bed ticking, regular 20c grade, at . . . 17c
Bed ticking, regular 12c grade, at . . . 10c
Bed ticking, double width worth 40c, now at . . . 38c
Bleach cotton, worth 7c, now at . . . 6c
Bleach cotton, worth 12c, now at . . . 9c
Bleach cotton worth 15c now at . . . 12c
Landsale cambic, worth 15c, now at . . . 12c
Landsale bleach, worth 12c, now at . . . 10c
Brown muslin, worth 8c to 10c, now at . . . 6c to 8c
Solettes, worth 25c, at . . . 20c
Quilt lining, worth 5c, at . . . 3c
Bleach sheeting, worth 35c now at . . . 28c
Sheeting, brown, worth 30c now at . . . 26c
Linen, pure, worth 40c now at . . . 25c
Linen, pure, worth 50c now at . . . 30c
Linen, (dress) worth 65c now at . . . 48c
Linen, (dress) worth 35c now at . . . 25c
India linens . . . 9c and up
White dimity, worth 12c to 30c, now at . . . 9c to 25c
White lawn, worth 7c to 13c, now at . . . 6c to 10c
One job lot of laces and trimmings at sacrifice prices.
Long cloth, worth 15c, now at . . . 12c
One lot of counterpanes, worth \$1.50 to \$2.50, now at . . . \$1.10 to \$1.98
Comforts, worth \$1.25 to \$2.00, now at . . . 98c to \$1.50
Men's work shirts, worth 35c to 50c, now at 28c to 30c

One lot of ladies' waists and skirts at sacrifice prices.
One lot of children's, youths and men's clothing at greatly reduced prices.
Ladies' vests and pants, worth 30c, now at . . . 21c
Ladies' vests and pants, worth 50c, now at . . . 38c
Ladies' hose, worth 10c and 15c, new at . . . 8c to 13c
Ladies' hose, worth 25c, at 21c
Ladies' hankerschiefs, worth 5c to 10c, now at 4c to 8c
Various other articles of dry goods and notions not mentioned will be sold at the same ratio of prices as mentioned above.

Ladies' Shoes

Vici Kid Button, worth \$2 now at . . . \$1.50
Belle of the West, worth 2.00, now at . . . 1.60
Victor Kid, worth 1.50, at 1.15
True Worth, worth 2.00, at 1.50
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 2.50, . . . at 1.88
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 3.00, . . . at 2.50
Cotton Shoe, latest style, worth 2.50, . . . at 1.98
Old Ladies' Comfort Shoe, worth 1.50, . . . 1.35
Boy's Box Calf, worth 1.50, . . . at 1.00
Boy's Satin Calf worth 1.50, . . . at 1.00
Boy's gun metal, worth 2.00, . . . 1.75
Men's Comfort Blincher, worth 2.50, . . . at 2.00
Men's Box Calf, worth 2.50, . . . at 2.00
Men's Hartford, worth 2.50, . . . at 1.08

Clothing

Men's and Boy's fancy shirts, worth 60c, . . . at 44c
Boy's fancy shirts, worth 50c and 50c . . . at 28c and 30c
Men's dress shirts, worth 1.00, . . . at 80c
Men's Underwear, worth 35c, . . . at 28c
Men's Underwear, worth 50c, . . . at 30c

There are various other goods not mentioned here that will be sold at less than cost. I mean this for a regular Clearance Sale. Persons who miss this sale will miss the greatest sale ever offered in Barbourville. There will be a general slaughter of prices, as I need the money.

JARVIS' MAMMOTH STORE

BARBOURVILLE, KENTUCKY.

THE MUSTANG ENTERPRISE.

Some ten years ago when the editor of the MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE was editor and publisher of the Georgetown Sentinel, we had in our employ a young printer who possessed unusual ability as a writer and numerous times we have told him that if he would properly apply himself he would some day become an editor of his own paper.

While in our employ he wooed and won the heart of one of Georgetown's charming and attractive young ladies, and in a few months they took their departure for the West to make their fortune, where they felt that they might more easily win the smiles of good fortune.

We soon lost trace of this little family and had not heard anything more from them until last Sunday when we received our mail and in going through the exchanges we discovered one not familiar to us, and glancing at the heading we saw "The Mustang Enterprise" Mustang, Oklahoma, Friday, Dec. 2, 1910. We were impressed with the neat appearance of the new arrival and being anxious to know how it happened to be sent to us, we at once turned to the "flagstaff" on the editorial page to see who was the editor. Imagine our surprise when we saw the familiar name of J. M. Daily, editor and publisher.

It brought up pleasant recollections of the past and we felt glad in our heart that "Jim" had a paper of his own and is making good in the new State of Oklahoma.

From his editorial page we clip the following article which is good advice and should be heeded by everyone. It says:

Do not try to bully the world. It does not pay. Whoever enters the ring for rough and tumble fight with public opinion is pretty sure, eventually to be "doubled up." Society is a Bric-a-brac, and who but a mad man would think of encountering with a single pair of fists, a hundred armed fellows? Better shake the multitudinous band of the giant good natured than unnecessarily provoke his wrath. Despite the world if it so please you—though to do so is proof of arrogance, conceit and egotism—but, as you have to live in this world, it is just as well to treat it civilly. Shrewd men, who understand their race, never seek a quarrel with society. They understand that it is possible for an individual to persuade, lead, and quietly control a community, but not to fight it down. If you desire to reform social evils or to disabuse your fellow men of their prejudice, the surest way to succeed is not to resort to denunciation and abuse. Kindness, conciliation and the influence of good example—these are the true and effective means and appliances of reform.

HOW EDITORS GET RICH.

(Centerville, Mich., Observer.) It is not good policy to give business secrets away, but as many people wonder how editors get rich so quick, we give out the following information, remarks the editor of the Paxton (Ill.) Register, hoping that every one of our readers will not take advantage of this and engage in the newspaper business:

A fellow termed himself "Gander's Forecast," located at St. Louis, offers to furnish us a lot of poetry and other silly stuff, if we will only run an advertisement in

the Register each week.

A fellow out west wants us to run a lot of advertising for him for nothing, and if it brings results he may become a customer.

A gun firm wants us to run \$19 worth of advertising; and then send them \$10 in exchange for a shotgun. Such a gun would retail at about \$6. For running \$17 worth of ads we can get \$1 magazine telling us how to do dress-making at home by running \$50 worth of advertising and sending \$25 to an Atlantic City firm we will be given a deed to a lot. When the tide is in the lot stands six feet under water.

A Kansas real estate firm will give us a deed to lot 22 by 60 feet for \$40 worth of advertising and \$25 cash. We write a fellow who knew of the lots offered and he replied that they had no cash value, but a trading value of about \$5.

If we can run a column write-up of a doings to be held in North Dakota this fall, amounting to about \$7, we will be sent two \$1 tickets. Our railroad fare there and back, for two, would be about \$60. We can have almost any Chicago daily paper sent us free. The subscription rate is only \$4, but all we have to do is to run \$30 worth of locals.

For \$40 worth of advertising and \$25 cash we can own a bicycle. The wheel sells at just \$12. About one dozen firms are wanting to give us shares in gold mines for advertising. A nursery firm will send us a 25 cent rosebush for only \$5 worth of advertising. For running a six-inch advertisement for one year we get a box of pills.

In no activity has there been more progress during the last twenty years than that of the country newspaper. There are now hundreds of country papers which in editorial ability, mechanical appearance, and all that contributes to inspire respect and command attention are fully abreast of their metropolitan contemporaries, in moral tone, and often in editorial features they surpass most of the great dailies. In times past the country editor was quite generally regarded with a half pitying contempt as a good natured but chicken-hearted chronicler of inconsequential locals. All of this has changed. Country newspapers are a class, well the mightiest influence in the nation. The editors are men of character and enterprise, doing more for the community for less money than any other body of workers.

A man or a woman may lead a life of honesty and purity, battling bravely for all they hold dear, so firm and sure of the rightness of their life that they never think for an instant of the diabolical ingenuity that makes evil and evil report where there is good. Good really exists a few words lightly spoken by the tongue of slander, a significant expression of the eyes, a cruel snarl of the shoulders, with the pursing of the lips—and then friendly hands grow cold, the accustomed smile is displaced by a sneer and she stands alone and aloof with a dazed feeling of wonder at the vague, intangible something that has caused it all.

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CITY OF TRAGEDY

A Story Recalling a Double Tragedy in Connection With Our State Capital.

Written For The Bartlesville (Okla.) Enterprise by Dr. John Francis Coffey.

A well known Blue Grass jurist once declared that were a monument raised on every spot in the city of Lexington wherein a man had been due to death, that strikingly beautiful city would resemble a cemetery. Other Kentucky cities have been also frequent witnesses of tragedies, Kentucky's capital no exception.

Frankfort, delightfully situated on the noble river which has given its name to the historic commonwealth through which it winds its silvery course from mountain source to beautiful Ohio, maybe in some respects and for a certain well known reason called the city of tragedy. Kentucky's political activities always strenuous, have been by a distinguished writer, called in prophetic term, "Hell"—because, perhaps, the ardent characteristics of public men there lead them to deadly quarrels. Kentucky's beautiful little capital city gives no indication in peaceful surroundings, of the angry discussions and vehement feelings that so often mar the winter sessions of its legislature. The snows of Frankfort's winters have from time to time known the taste and color of blood.

The winter of 1900 saw the assassination of Wm. Goebel, whom the legislature had just decided to make governor of the state. The echoes of that dastardly deed still reverberate through the atmosphere of Kentucky hills and plains. They may make themselves heard, in the winter of 1911, in halls of congress, to which Caleb Powers, four times tried and thrice convicted of the murder of Goebel, has just been elected.

Be that as it may, the mere revival of the doom which befell Goebel in January, 1900, recalls other tragedies in Frankfort, particularly that of which Blossom, so by story telling

ble retreats, which such a sorrow as hers usually courts, but does not always find, Blossom went on from triumph to triumph, legal and political. No one put limit to his conquests. Very young in years and very strong in talent, he was chosen speaker of the state house of representatives. Forum and platform had already rung with his eloquent appeals. "Another Clay," "a greater even than Clay," exclaimed some of his admirers. But when the pathway through life seemed most promising, Blossom was stricken down. So fearful a disaster brought forth from his party the most severe denunciation upon its opponents. But every storm, however severe, is succeeded by a calm. The storm aroused by the killing of Blossom was no exception. From out of that calm there came whisperers. Had Mary McLean's ruin had nothing to do with the removal of Arthur Blossom? Where was Mary McLean's brother, John Alexander, at the time of the Blossom tragedy? He had left Bowling Green—it was definitely ascertained—a few days before the killing of Blossom.

A dark and stormy night, a traveler, several miles southeast of Frankfort, found himself obliged to seek shelter. The genuine hospitality of Kentucky was accorded by a planter who asked but few questions. The stress of the storm and the darkness of the forest-girt highway, explained very fully the strain on the wayfarer.

With first dawn of day, the traveler, refusing breakfast, was on the road again. Not for several weeks after the killing of Blossom did the hospitable planter see any connection between the speaker's murder and the visit of his own benighted guest. But the rumor that John Alexander McLean of Bowling Green had been seen in Bowling Green the very day that Blossom fell, took no very long time to penetrate even into the remotest countryside. It was further recalled that

McLean had in his home town been heard to vow vengeance on Blossom for the ruin of his sister. The description of McLean, which in due course, reached further afield, brought at once to mind his visitor on that stormy night whose fatal beginning had witnessed Blossom's murder. McLean, arrested, put up a vigorous defense. The unwritten law, not then universally accepted in Kentucky, was unanimously appealed to. Convicted of Blossom's assassination, McLean was executed not however, without a strong undercurrent of sympathy for stern justice's victim. What Kentuckian, it was, soon after McLean's death, very generally asked, would have borne in speechless sorrow and vengeance agony, shame of his sister—no matter how high placed or how prominent the author of her ruin. No modern Kentucky jury had ever sentenced McLean to death.

The ruin of Mary McLean cost the state of Kentucky two sons who promised great value to all their fellows. The young woman so prominently and unfortunately connected with the affair, lived for several years after these sterling incidents had filled the whole mind and heart of Kentucky. She led, in a remote and sparsely settled section, the life of a recluse. Her retirement was rejected by neighbors who never, except when called by sickness, intruded their ministrations. Her closing years were those of an exemplary Christian woman. Wrong she had indeed done, but the wrong inflicted on Mary McLean herself was unpeppably darker than that she had done to society. Her own misfortune and those with her name was associated proved that transgression of the moral law is, in Kentucky as well as elsewhere, the doorway to tragedy brutal and bloody.

No sermon of more touching, practical value than those preached, in the language of silence with tongue of silver who every note the ear of conscience seizes and the human soul understands. Not a graveyard without pulpits of marble ever preaching:

"Blessed are the clean of heart for they shall see God." The Greeks said grandly in their tropic phrase,

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PERSONALS Around Town

Chas. Davis is in Louisville this week.

D. F. Hutton and family have moved to Corbin this week.

I. T. Henson returned Tuesday from a short visit to St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Lois Shively spent several days this week in Louisville, shopping.

Sen. Joe P. Bosworth was in town between trains last Monday afternoon.

Hon. Caleb Powers was in Washington City at the opening of Congress last Tuesday.

Col. W. R. Hughes and family will leave Monday for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the winter.

Mrs. Thomas Webb, of Knoxville, Tenn., returned home Sunday after a visit of several days to her folks here.

J. F. Catron and family have returned from a several weeks' visit to his brother, I. T. Catron, in Atlanta, Ga.

Will Detherage and Stirling Perkins were in Louisville several days last week buying a new stock of merchandise for their new store in the Lawson building.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Freeman, of Saluda, North Carolina, have returned home after visiting relatives here the past week. Mrs. C. L. Freeman, Mrs. Freeman's mother, accompanied them home for a short visit.

LOCAL LOOM BREVITIES

Don't forget to look after your subscription.

Christmas times are now rapidly drawing near.

A light snow fell here Tuesday but soon melted off.

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Do your Christmas shopping at the Gibson Co.'s store. 10 per cent discount for cash.

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INDIAN CREEK.
By "ROSS BIRD."

A. B. Helton was in Harboursville, Friday on business.

Miss Lada Engle, of Permau, was visiting her folks, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Clara B. Campbell, of Wilton, was visiting her folks the latter part of the week.

George and Willie Engle were the guests of General Cooper, Sunday.

Prof. E. Kneekles was calling on Miss Ayla D. Williams, of Rockholds, Sunday.

Siler Parton, of Harboursville, passed through here Sunday, enroute to Wilton.

O. N. Prichard and wife, were guests at the home of Jacob Engle, Saturday night.

Miss Della Reese was the guest of Miss Sarah Cooper, Monday night.

Prof. John Cooper, of Richland, was here the latter part of the week, visiting her folks.

N. B. Cooper was near King, Monday on business.

Miss Nanna Helton was a guest of Miss Emma Cooper, Monday afternoon.

Miss Emma Cooper was a guest of Miss Eliza Foure, Saturday night.

The school is progressing nicely, with E. Kneekles as teacher.

George Brown and Bradley Reese, were in Corbin, last Saturday on business.

Miss Emma Cooper, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Minnie Logan, Wednesday night.

N. B. Cooper was in Wilton last Saturday.

Miss Belle Campbell was in Wilton Friday.

W. J. Campbell and wife attended the Debating Society, at Little Indian Creek, Wednesday night.

George Brown and wife, were visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Reese, last Sunday.

Bradley Reese attended the Debating Society at Little Indian Creek, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Maudie Moore and Miss Lizzie Cooper, of Corbin, were guests of relatives here last week.

Mrs. Laura Helton, of Corbin, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Engle, last week.

BAILEY'S SWITCH, KY.

By "Brown Eyre."

Mrs. Jessie Turner was in Harboursville, shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Eaton, of North Jellico, visited relatives at this place, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Archibalds Beatty is visiting Mrs. Margaret Hilton, of this place.

McClamdes V. D. Jackson, Marguerite Hilton, and Archibalds Beatty, were the pleasant guests of J. R. Bailey, Sunday afternoon.

Misses Edna and Carrie Jackson were in Harboursville, last Saturday shopping.

Miss Rosetta Lawson was in Harboursville, Saturday on a shopping tour.

Mrs. E. J. Ray is quite ill at this time.

Miss Belle Eaton is visiting relatives at Rossland, this week.

W. M. McNeil was calling on Miss Edna Jackson, Sunday.

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From the Pen of Hon. John H. Wilson and Hon. Vincent Boreing, Re-Echoed from '74 and '75

KNOX COUNTY LOCALS, APRIL 30TH, 1875.

TEMPERANCE ADDRESS.

We copy the following from an old almanac for 1840:—

Ye friends of moderation, Who think a reformation, Or moral renovation, Would benefit our nation; Who deem intoxication, With all its dissipation, In every rank and station, The cause of degradation; Of which your observation Gives daily demonstration, Who see the ruination, Distress and desolation, The open violation, Of moral obligation, The wretched habitation Without accommodation Or any regulation For common sustentation, A scene of desperation, Unequaled in creation, The frequent desertion Of Sabbath's ordination, The crime and depredation, Degrading legislation; The awful prostration Of common conversation, The mental aberration, A dire intonation, With every sad gradation, To maniac desperation, Ye who wish consternation Behold its devastation, And utter condemnation Of all intonation; Why sanction its duration Or show disapprobation Of any combination For its extermination? Without prevarication, We deem a declaration, That offers no temptation, By any palliation, Of this abomination, The only sure foundation To total extirpation; And under this persuasion Hold no communication With noxious emanation Of brewers' fermentation, Of spirits distillation, Producing stimulation; To this determination, We call consideration, And without hesitation, Invite cooperation, Not doubting invitation, And high appreciation, Without provocation, Will raise your estimation, And by continuation With this association, You may, by meditation, Ensure the preservation Of a future generation From all contamination— And may each indication Of such regeneration Be the theme of exaltation Till its final consummation, The total extirpation Of the dissipation and sale, The liquor traffic.

BERTIE'S GRAVE.
The sweetest, sacred spot on earth, That memory holds most dear; Is but a little mossy mound— But Bertie's sleeping there. The brightest sunbeam seem to love To linger 'round that spot; It is the last they kiss farewell, The first by them that's sought. The zephyrs stop to rest a while, And breathe a fresher breath Upon the strange, sweet flowers which bloom Above the flower of death. Tread softly friend, then pause About the little mound; For it has cost us many a tear, This hallowed spot of ground. The angels bore her from our grasp A jeweled casket rare; Her eyes were closed, they hushed her breath, We smoothed her curly hair. I think I hear her chiding now, In that bright world of love, To live in hope, and when life's o'er We'll meet our Bertie 'bove.

—[By Mollie S. Barbourville, Ky., Apr. 27, 1874.]

We regret to learn that that small and pestiferous insect known as the tobacco fly, has again made its appearance and is devouring the plants as fast as they make their appearance. Flour of sulphur sprinkled over the plants in the morning while the dew is still on, or a solution of water and sulphur sprinkled over the beds is said to be a very effectual remedy. Sulphur is cheap and we would advise our planters to try it.—Owen News.

Blder W. B. Gentry will preach at the M. E. Church on second Sunday in May.

A Y. Culton will attend the Democratic State Convention as a delegate from this county.

Two rafts of fifty logs each were landed at the mill yesterday. Every body out to see them land.

Attention is directed to the resolutions adopted by the Republican convention of this county.

The saddest sight that we ever saw was a young man with very tight boots on trying to borrow half a dollar.

Thos. Herndon, H. C. Edwards, F. J. Hibbard, Mrs. Fannie Bowman and Maggie Dismen joined the Good Templars at their last meeting.

The high waters ruined the fishers; but they gave the gun-fish hits at the pond. About forty men, women and boys there Wednesday and Thursday. They got meat.

BIRTHS—To the wife of Tom Trapper, on the 12th inst., a son.—To the wife of D. W. Black, a daughter.—To the wife Isaac Gilbert, a son.

Just as we go to press, the back water can be seen from our office window, and has fallen but little. Unexpectably, it interrupts the departure of our mails, especially the mail which connects at Winchester and the one for Cumberland Gap.

J. L. Harris, who formerly owned Jackson's steam mill, in Laurel county, has moved from Platt county, Mo., to Garrett, and from county, Kan., and S. L. Harlan, of this county, has moved from Wellington, Kan., to Windsor, Ill. Alex. Sevier has moved from Springfield to Knob-Noxter, Mo.

The postoffice at Crane Nest has received a mail key and is ready for business. Wallace G. Gilbert is Post Master.

James H. Dishman, who has been South, since Christmas, with stock, arrived home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Doan have returned from their visit to Laurel.

The candidates in this district for Magistrate are Jake Goshen, Jas. M. Vaughn, Sr., Jas. McDaniel, A. E. Howard, Robert Morris, Lee Cain and L. T. Cotton. For Constable, Andy Dean, Ike Walton and James Shelton.

G. P. Rose, of Whitley county, was here during the week. He is a prospective candidate to represent Knox and Whitley in the next Legislature.

Dr. Dishman returned last week from a visit to Fayette and Jessamine counties. His daughter, Mrs. Kate Ballard, came home with him.

Capt. Adam Reeder is again employed in the Sunday School cause, and has Sunday School books which can be furnished at low prices. He is ready and willing to aid in organizing schools.

SUDDEN DEATH—Major John M. Dickinson, of this town, received information last Sunday of the sudden death, at Snelling, California, on the 17th instant, of his youngest brother, Mr. N. B. Dickinson, formerly of Harboursville, Ky. His death was attributed to apoplexy.—Morristown Gazette.

KNOX COUNTY COUNTY—Wm. Tuggle, judge; O. P. Herndon, County Attorney; Thos. J. Wyatt, Clerk; John Lay, Sheriff; Silas Taylor, Deputy, Isaac Jones, Deputy; Rev. John Davis, Assessor; John Reese, Surveyor; W. P. Fox, Jailor; Jarve Hemphill, Coroner.

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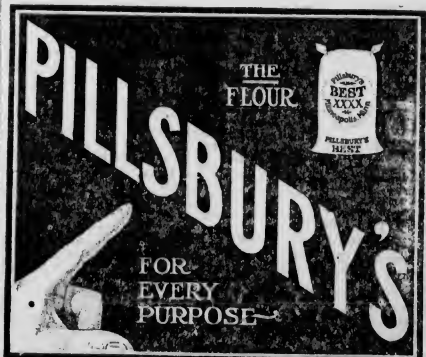
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